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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: MADURawe Application No.: 10/727,170 Filed: 12/04/2003 For: Programmable Structured Arrays	Examiner: LE, Don P. Art Unit: 2819 <u>AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE</u>
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09/20/2005

Commissioner for Patents
PO Box 1450
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Sir:

The Office Action in the office communication mailed 09/14/2005 listed the following:

2. Claims 1-22 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. 102(a) as being anticipated by Madurawe (US 6,747,478).
18. Claim 23 is objected to as being dependent upon a rejected base claim, but would be allowable if rewritten in independent form including all the limitations of the base claim and any intervening claims.

In response to the office action, the applicant has herewith filed arguments to show that all claims are patentably distinguishable from the cited reference. The response addresses all concerns listed in the office action, and withdrawal of all objections & rejections is respectfully requested.